

BANKS ARE CLOSED

Acting Governor Allen Issues a Proclamation

Yesterday a decisive action was taken in regard to banking in this State pending the arrangements of business in San Francisco and other western cities that have felt the weight of the distress that is upon them.

Acting Governor Allen after a consultation with the bankers of the State issued a proclamation suspending this class of business for a week, in order that the banks might be in communication with their people in San Francisco, and also to protect the home people from any unnecessary alarm. The action was taken not because the banks of this state are in any way weak but to prevent unusual drafts being made on the distressed depositors in San Francisco, where a great deal of Nevada money is tied up. The proclamation reads as follows:

Whereas, a great calamity has befallen our sister state of California, causing desolation, suffering, distress and death resulting in the paralysis of business throughout that state;

And whereas, by proclamation of the governor of said state of California, public holidays have been declared all over said state;

And whereas, the business and social interests of the state of California and the state of Nevada have been so intermingled for the past fifty years that the material interests of the two states are practically identical;

And whereas, the citizens of Nevada have relatives and friends dead

and missing in the distressed districts;

Now, therefore, in order to give our citizens an opportunity to seek their missing and bury their dead; and in order to give an opportunity to make provision for the destitute; and out of respect for the proclamations of the governor of the state of California; and believing that a temporary suspension of business for the period of six days in this state will tend to alleviate and aid the business interests of the state of California, pending the re-establishment of new business and financial headquarters, particularly in and for the stricken city of San Francisco which is the distributing center of the Pacific Coast;

Now, therefore, I, Lemuel Allen, Lieutenant and Acting Governor of the state of Nevada, do hereby officially proclaim and appoint April 23d to April 28th, both inclusive, A. D. 1906 as public holidays, and I heartily recommend that all business be laid aside, that the financial institutions be closed, and that all citizens of this state devote the time to relieving and ameliorating the conditions of our neighbor in distress.

In witness thereof, I have this day set my hand and affixed the great seal of the state of Nevada, the 23d day of April, A. D. 1906

LEMUEL ALLEN, Acting and Lieutenant Governor.

Attest:
W. G. DOUGLASS, Secretary of State
By JOHN W. LEGATE, Deputy

PLENTY OF FOOD

Work not Food the Need of the Stricken

The cities and towns of the Pacific slope have responded to the call for aid to such a degree that San Francisco is not in need of food. Trainloads of food stuffs have gone to the cry of the needy and there is plenty for all who need and none are now hungry in San Francisco. Carson like the other cities lent her assistance in line and her efforts helped appease the hunger when it was needed.

Yesterday Emmett Walsh, returned from the stricken city. He gives a graphic account of the earthquake and the fire that followed. In speaking of the wants of the people he said:

"At the present time there is plenty of food for all. Every park and open place has a place where the hungry are fed. If anyone is hungry it is their own fault. The first few days food was scarce, but at the present time there is an abundance and should the people continue to forward perishables, as has been done, it will be thrown into the bay."

"It is my opinion that the people need work that will give them ready money. Money shortage will be the main trouble for a time at least and soon as pay rolls can be made the people will soon manage to get a place of rest and their personal wants

will be over. The present hardship is lack of sleeping quarters and cash to buy what will be necessary to make another start. As soon as the work of clearing the city is under way and building all of the tradesmen will have a chance to adjust their belongings and new homes will cover their heads. As I said it is a case of money and work and not food stuffs that are really needed at the present time."

Warren Keith, who was among the arrivals speaks in the same line.

He stated that while in the City the past few days he could have had a wagon load of provisions. Sandwiches were thrust at him at every corner and in fact all along the line of the road home. He states that there is to be plenty of work for all inside of ten days, or as soon as material can be taken to the scene. When this is done the cry of want will no longer exist and the new San Francisco will start. In the meantime he believes that the people should hold their supplies pending a time another call for aid may come.

Others who have returned from the scene are of the same opinion, and the people can await action of General Funston who will make the wants of the needy known.

Telegrams By Mail

Yesterday there passed through Reno a fast train bearing five thousand telegrams for San Francisco. They accumulated in Chicago and the Western Union Company deemed that it could give quicker service by sending them on a fast train than trying to send them by wire. They also sent five thousand by the Santa Fe. A corps of men went along to sort them and every effort will be made to deliver them today in Oakland and San Francisco.

If the Western Union would always send dispatches by some reasonably fast mail, train their service would be much improved.

The Western Union is certainly waking up.

During the fire and earthquake the postal was the only company that managed to maintain their wire all the time.

Will Meet All Demands

The following message was received by Controller Davis yesterday:

Our home office is providing funds to meet San Francisco loss and we do not expect it will be at all necessary to call upon our United States funds in the least degree.

Liverpool London & Globe Ins. Co. Henry W. Eaton, President.

HOW IT SHOOK THE MARKET

The earthquake gave the finances of the world a severe shaking down. Here are three columns of figures which show how it effected stocks. The first column are the quotations in New York the day before the shock.

The second column are the next days quotations and the last column represents to shrinkage per share:

United Rys. S. F.	93 1/2	62	31 1/2
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Union Pacific	157 3/4	150 3/4	7
Southern Pacific	69 1/4	64 1/2	4 1/2
Atchison	93 1/2	89	4 1/2
Reading	137 1/4	125 1/4	12
Amalgamated	113 3/4	108 3/4	5 1/4
Anaconda	279 3/4	267	12 3/4
Chicago Northwestern	213	205	8
Wells Fargo	260	252	8
St. Paul	177 3/4	171 1/4	6 1/4

The United Railways of San Francisco suffered the most and the S. P. R. R. and Atchison on the Coast.

All Safe

Mrs. J. Butler, sister of Mrs. H. A. Lemmon, sends word that she escaped the disaster. Her home was destroyed.

Senator Dangberg, spent yesterday in Carson.

Death of a Pioneer

Patrick McCarty, a resident of Carson City since 1861, died at the family residence in this city at 8:30 Sunday morning after an illness of several months.

He was a man of great integrity and sterling worthy, a devoted husband and loving father, and Carson City has lost an honorable and loyal citizen.

He was born in county Letrim, Ireland, March 23, 1836, and leaves to mourn his loss a devoted wife, a son, John McCarty, of Alameda, Cal., and three daughters, Mrs. H. A. McMurtrey and Mrs. A. W. Sewell of Tuscarora, Nev., and Ida McCarty of this city.

The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the Catholic church.

Mrs. Adams Safe

Mrs. Charles H. Adams, formerly of this city writes to her father Charles E. Bray from San Francisco, stating:

"We are staying with the house, although one end is knocked out and both chimneys are down. The house is on Twenty-fourth avenue, beyond the fire zone. A number of friends, who were rendered homeless, are camping with us. Ours is the only house in the neighborhood that has water. The soldiers are affording us excellent protection."

Detectives from Chicago

RENO April 23.—Ten Chicago detectives passed through here today enroute for San Francisco. They know by sight most of the pickpockets of the United States and have gone to identify them in San Francisco where they have already begun to congregate. They have been sent for by the San Francisco authorities and are all picked men.

A Shocking Rumor

A rumor was rife last evening that Mrs. John Kersey and her youngest daughter were among the victims of the catastrophe in San Francisco. It is reported that they were killed at the time of the earthquake. It was also stated the Ed Culver, better known as "Smoky" had also been killed in the fires at the Southern Pacific shop where he was working. The friends of both families hope the report is without foundation.

W. R. Hearst to the Rescue

Immediately on receipt of the news of the disaster in San Francisco a hospital, tents and steamer load of provisions and clothing were shipped from Los Angeles by order of W. R. Hearst and a special train, freighted with supplies, was sent over the Santa Fe by his orders and several more have since followed.

Work Suspension Temporary

The Chronicle is reliably informed that the partial suspension of work in the Con. Virginia, Ophir and Gold Hill mines is only temporary. The Union and Ward shafts are running with their usual complement of men and repair work in the Sutro tunnel will continue. Official advices from mining headquarters in San Francisco are to the effect that the disaster there will not interfere with work on the Comstock and all branches of business will be resumed in the Bay City as rapidly as circumstances will admit.

Utah Responds Liberally

The officers of the Mormon church at Salt Lake promptly forwarded \$10,000 for the San Francisco relief fund and the State of Utah will appropriate \$25,000 without calling a special legislative session, as it would entail delay and the appropriation will be ratified at the regular session. Salt Lake City has contributed \$20,000 to the fund.

Stanford Loses \$3,000,000

Leo Levy, who arrived yesterday from Stanford University, says the loss to that university will reach \$3,000,000. The first estimate was \$2,800,000, but subsequent investigations disclosed that the destruction of the museum collections added materially to the loss. One student in the dormitory and an engineer were killed by falling debris.

Donates Fifty Dollars

The Mechanic's Union at a meeting held Saturday evening, donated \$50 to the relief committee fund. The unionists have more money that will be given, if needed.

The Circus

Yesterday the Norris & Rowe circus showed in this city, and a big crowd of people greeted them. They have an excellent show, and one that was enjoyed by a tent filled with people. They have number of new things in their business and threaten to become the biggest thing in the way of a tented show on the Coast. They entertained both young and old and circus day is better than the Fourth of July for all round pleasure.

Carson Cemetery Water Wards

Notice is hereby given that water has been turned on at the Cemetery and that no person in arrears will be allowed the use of water until the amounts now due are paid.

Patrons are further notified that it is the intention of the Trustees to give a six months service this season, instead of five months as heretofore, to do this prompt payment by water users will be necessary.

April 24, 1906 / GEO. W. KEITH
Secretary and Collector.

Here's a Tip Worth Taking



Next time you need clothes, remember that garments made to your order by the so-much-talked-about International Tailoring Co. of New York, Chicago and San Francisco, costs no more than ordinary ready-mades of the better grades.

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